

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Petitioner,

v.

MICHAEL JASON LAYES a/k/a/ MIKEY
DIAMOND STARRETT,

Respondent.

CASE NO. 3:21-cr-05334-DGE

ORDER APPOINTING COUNSEL

Defendant, who initially elected to proceed pro se (Dkt. Nos. 20, 35, 38) now makes a motion for the Court to appoint counsel. The Court considered and **GRANTS** Defendant's motion, and appoints Defendant's standby counsel, Lance M. Hester, as counsel of record under the Criminal Justice Act.

Dated this 19th day of November, 2021.



David G. Estudillo
United States District Judge